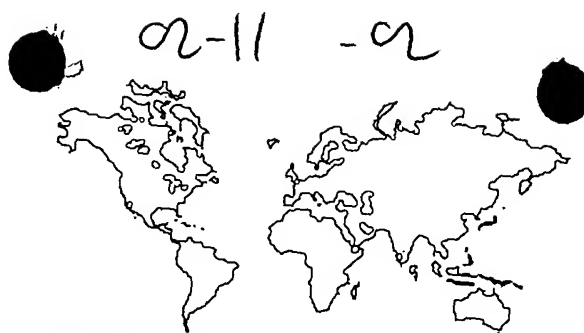


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Re: New U.S. Non-Provisional Utility Patent Application
For: **Prostatic Hormonal Implants Treatment of
Prostate Cancer**

Inventor: Velayudhan Sahadevan

Dear Sir,

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S Patent and Trademark Office:

1. U.S. Utility Patent Application entitled:

Prostatic Hormonal Implants Treatment of Prostate Cancer

Inventor: Velayudhan Sahadevan

The application comprising:

- (i) 110 pages of specifications
- (ii) 10 pages of claims (Total = 41, Independent 5);
- (iii) 1 page abstract; and
- (iv) 9 sheets of drawings: (Fig. 1-3);

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2. An original executed Declaration;
3. An original executed Statement under 37 C.F.R 1.9 (c) and 1.27 (b) Claiming Small Entity Status-Independent Inventor;
4. One (1) return post card; and
5. Check NO. 2528 for \$ 598.00 , Small Entity filing fee \$ 370, plus \$ 228 for the 2 independent and 16 dependent additional claims (Small entity status)
6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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BASIC FEE				370
TOTAL CLAIMS	36-20	16	9	144
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			TOTAL	598

7. Form PTO-1449 Substitute together with copies of the cited prior art patents and others
8. Disclosure Document Reference Letter

It is respectfully requested that the attached post card be stamped with the filing date and unofficial application number and returned as soon as possible.

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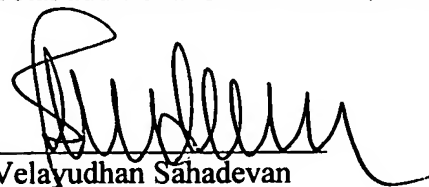
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Sir:

In response to the Office Letter mailed on 04/16/2002 (copy of the notice is attached), please amend the above application as follows:

Original specification pages 1-121 in 8 ½ x 14 in are converted into 8 ½ x 14 in sized paper. Drawings are also made in 8 ½ x 14 in sized paper. Replacement pages contain no new matter.

Total additional claim fee of \$ 45.00 is also enclosed.



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